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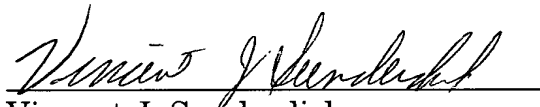
Each of claims 15-18 are fully supported by the originally filed specification and therefore, applicants respectfully request a full and thorough examination on the merits.

If there are any questions regarding this amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #056207/50307C1).

Respectfully submitted,

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